



In RE application of H. ARITA et al

Serial No.: 09/740,988

Group Art Unit: 3626

Filed: December 21, 2000

Examiner: E. Cosimano

For: ENERGY AND POWER INTERCHANGE SYSTEM AND ITS METHOD

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
- ☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- ☐ No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

| | (COL. 1) | | (COL. 2) | (COL. 3) |
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| | Claims Remaining After Amendment | | Highest No. Previously Paid For | Present Extra |
| Total | * 10 | Minus | ** 20 | = 0 |
| Indep. | * 2 | Minus | *** 3 | = 0 |
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| SMALL ENTITY | |
|--------------|----------------|
| Rate | Additional Fee |
| x 9 | \$ |
| x 42 | \$ |
| + 140 | \$ |
| Total | \$ |

| OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY | |
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| Rate | Additional Fee |
| x 18 | \$ 0 |
| x 84 | \$ 0 |
| + 280 | \$ 0 |
| Total | \$ 0 |

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- ☒ Any Extension of Time fees that are necessary, which are hereby requested if necessary.

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AMENDMENT

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P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed May 5, 2004,
please amend the above-identified application as follows. A
Petition and fee for a one-month Extension of Time also
accompanies this response.